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MEDIA ADVISORY

Mayor Barrett to Issue Cold Weather Alert

Officials remind area residents to take precautions as cold temperatures are predicted for Milwaukee

MILWAUKEE - Today, Mayor Tom Barrett and the City of Milwaukee Health Department (MHD) will remind residents to take precautions as extreme cold wind chills move into the area.

The National Weather Service (NWS) has issued an alert for the area, stating that cold temperatures and brisk winds may result in wind chills that could reach between 20 and 34 degrees below zero. A wind chill advisory begins at 12 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 7, through 12 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 8. Following this period, there could be additional times from late Thursday night into Saturday morning with bitterly cold wind chills.

> WHEN: Tuesday, Jan. 6

> WHERE: Mayor's Office

> > City Hall

200 E. Wells St., Milwaukee

TIME: 3:15 p.m.

SPEAKERS: Mayor Tom Barrett

Commissioner of Health Bevan K. Baker

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